

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1 1. (Currently Amended) An electronic calendaring device comprising:
2 an interface configured to receive a calendar source list generated by a first party,
3 the calendar source list comprising at least one of a source, a delivery format, and a
4 delivery method, wherein the source includes information compiled by a second party;
5 ~~network interface for connecting to a network;~~
6 ~~storage memory for storing a calendar source list;~~
7 a collection and distribution unit controller for accessing the calendar source and
8 retrieving calendar data in accordance with said calendar source list via said network
9 ~~interface and retrieving calendar data; and~~
10 ~~display for displaying said calendar data; and~~
11 logic said controller is configured to incorporate retrieved calendar data into a
12 calendar database in accordance with said calendar source list.

1 2. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 1, further
2 comprising:
3 an optical device coupled to the interface, wherein said optical device captures an
4 image of a hardcopy calendar source; and
5 wherein said logic converts image information to calendar information via optical
6 character recognition storage memory further comprises memory for storing said calendar
7 database.

1 3. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 1,
2 wherein said calendar database is associated with a predetermined subscribing party and
3 integrates calendar information from an unrelated calendar source.

1 4. (Canceled)

1 5. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 4 2,
2 wherein said optical ~~input~~ device comprises a scanner ~~an optical scanning device~~ for
3 ~~converting printed calendar information into an electronic format image file.~~

1 6. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 5 2,
2 wherein said logic ~~controller~~ is configured to convert said image information ~~electronic~~
3 ~~format image file~~ into a data file of a ~~predetermined format via optical character~~
4 ~~recognition (OCR).~~

1 7. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 5 2,
2 wherein logic ~~controller~~ is configured to convert said image information ~~electronic format~~
3 ~~image file~~ into a text data file of a ~~predetermined format.~~

1 8. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 7 3,
2 further comprising:
3 logic configured to transfer calendar information in accordance with the delivery
4 format and delivery method ~~wherein said predetermined format constitutes text format.~~

1 9. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 8,
2 wherein said interface comprises a wireless interface ~~controller is further configured to~~
3 ~~incorporate data represented by said data file into a calendar database.~~

1 10. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 5 8,
2 wherein said logic configured to transfer calendar information is coupled to a subscriber
3 via said interface and a local area network ~~network comprises the Internet.~~

1 11. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 5 8,
2 wherein said logic configured to transfer calendar information is coupled to a subscriber
3 via said interface and a wide area network ~~network interface comprises a wireless~~
4 ~~interface.~~

1 12-13 (Canceled)

1 14. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 12 1,
2 wherein said calendar data comprises text format data.

1 15. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 12 1,
2 wherein said calendar data comprises vCard compliant data.

1 16. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 12 1,
2 wherein said calendar data comprises html format data.

1 17. (Currently Amended) The electronic calendaring device of claim 12 1,
2 wherein said calendar data comprises data specifying a World Wide Web address
3 associated with a calendar source.

1 18-19 (Canceled)

1 20. (New) A method for producing a composite calendar comprising the steps
2 of:
3 identifying a calendar source list associated with a party, the calendar source list
4 comprising a source, a delivery format, and a delivery method, wherein the source
5 includes information compiled by an entity other than the party;
6 integrating information from the source in accordance with the calendar source list
7 to generate a composite calendar;
8 forwarding the composite calendar in accordance with the calendar source list.

1 21. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein integrating information from the
2 source comprises identifying a source type.

1 22. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein integrating information from the
2 source comprises identifying a receive format.

1 23. (New) The method of claim 22, wherein the receive format is different
2 from the delivery format.

1 24. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein integrating information from the
2 source comprises identifying a calendar source location on a network.

1 25. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein integrating information from the
2 source comprises scanning image information from a representation of a calendar.

1 26. (New) The method of claim 25, further comprising:
2 translating the image information into a predetermined format.

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1 27. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein forwarding the composite
2 calendar comprises transmitting a representation of the composite calendar via a wireless
3 medium.

1 28. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein forwarding the composite
2 calendar comprises transmitting a representation of the composite calendar via a wired
3 medium.

1 29. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein forwarding the composite
2 calendar comprises transmitting a representation of the composite calendar in the delivery
3 format.

1 30. (New) The method of claim 20, wherein forwarding the composite
2 calendar comprises conveying a representation of the composite calendar using the
3 delivery method.
